HON'BLE SHRI G.S.SINGHVI, THE CHIEF JUSTICE
AND
HON'BLE SHRI JUSTICE G.V.SEETHAPATHY

WRIT PETITION NO.14722 OF 2006

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Between:

Electroflo Batteries Private Limited

. . .Petitioner

AND

M/s.Electroflo Batteries Pvt. Limited
and others

. . .Respondents

Counsel for the petitioner : Shri O.Kailashnath Reddy

Counsel for the respondent No.1 : Government Pleader
for Forests

Counsel for the respondent Nos.2&3 : Shri S.V.Bhatt

Counsel for the respondent No.4 : Shri M.Sreeramulu Reddy

Dated: 18th July, 2006

: ORDER :

PER G.S.SINGHVI, CJ

This is a petition for quashing orders dated 17.04.2006 and 16.05.2006 passed by the Andhra Pradesh Pollution Control Board (for short 'the Board') and the appellate authority constituted under Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.

After arguing the case for some time and on being pointed out by the Court that in the absence of valid consent having been obtained from the competent authority, the petitioner cannot operate the unit, learned counsel fairly stated that his client may be permitted to withdraw this petition at this stage with liberty to file an application before the competent authority for grant of consent and institute fresh proceedings as and when it becomes necessary.

Shri S.V.Bhatt, learned counsel appearing for the Board says that he does not have any objection.

In view of the above, the writ petition is dismissed as withdrawn with liberty in terms of the prayer made.

G.S.SINGHVI, CJ

G.V.SEETHAPATHY, J

Date: 18.07.2006

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